



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 2811
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MIZUHARA et al.) Confirmation No. 7419
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Serial No.: 09/037,674) Examiner: Ori Nadav
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Filed: March 9, 1998) REQUEST FOR
) EXTENSION OF TIME
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Atty. File No.: 2933SE-11-CIP-2)
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For: "SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES) **EXPRESS MAIL: EV539131836US**
PASSIVATION FILM")

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on May 10, 2004, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from September 10, 2004, to October 10, 2004. A Request for Extension along with the requisite fee was filed on September 7, 2004, extending the response from August 10, 2004, to September 10, 2004.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$320 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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